

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF MAINE**

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,)	
)	
v.)	Docket No. 2:21-cr-00121-NT
)	
SHAWN COOK,)	
)	
Defendant.)	

**ORDER OF LIMITED RELEASE
18 U.S.C. § 3142**

It is hereby **ORDERED**, without objection, that the defendant be, and he hereby is, temporarily released for the limited purposes of attendance at the 28-day inpatient Starlight Program at the Stonington Institute, North Stonington, Connecticut, on October 27, 2021, upon the following conditions:

1. Arrangements having been made to admit the defendant into a 28-day residential substance abuse treatment program (“Program”) at the Stonington Institute, 75 Swantown Hill Road, North Stonington, Connecticut (“Institution”), the United States Marshal shall release the defendant into the custody of a representative from Veteran Affairs (“VA”) and/or the Starlight Program on October 27, 2021, at the Strafford County Jail, Dover, New Hampshire, for the specific purpose of delivering the defendant to the Institution to participate in the Program immediately upon arrival. The VA and/or Starlight Program representative shall transport the defendant directly to the Institution’s North Stonington, Connecticut facility for the specific limited purpose of the defendant’s Program attendance.

2. The defendant shall remain at the Institution continuously for the duration of the Program until discharged by the Institution staff.

3. The defendant shall be an active and cooperative participant in the Program and shall follow all the rules and procedures of the Institution.

4. The defendant shall not consume any illegal drugs or use alcohol while released.

5. Upon his successful completion of the Program, the defendant shall be released to a VA representative. The VA representative shall return the defendant to the United States Marshal in Portland, Maine, where he will be recommitted. If the defendant does not successfully complete the Program, he shall be returned forthwith to the custody of the United States Marshal and, in order to effect the same without delay, the defendant shall be subject to arrest without more (including the issuance of a separate arrest warrant).

6. The defendant shall not commit any federal, state, or local crime during the period of temporary release.

7. The defendant shall report to his United States Pretrial Services Officer as required.

8. There is attached to and incorporated in this Order by reference a notice of additional penalties. The defendant is hereby advised that this notice sets forth the penalties for the violation of a condition of release and the penalties for committing an offense while on temporary pretrial release as well as the penalties and other consequences should he violate a condition of his temporary pretrial release or should

he intimidate a witness, juror, or officer of the court or should he obstruct any criminal investigation or should he tamper with or retaliate against any witness, victim, or informant.

9. Any failure of the defendant to surrender himself in a timely fashion, or any failure to adhere to the conditions of this order, shall be punishable as contempt.

SO ORDERED.

/s/ Nancy Torresen
United States District Judge

Dated this 26th day of October, 2021.

ADVICE OF PENALTIES AND SANCTIONS

TO THE DEFENDANT:

YOU ARE ADVISED OF THE FOLLOWING PENALTIES AND SANCTIONS:

Violating any of the foregoing conditions of release may result in the immediate issuance of a warrant for your arrest, a revocation of your release, an order of detention, a forfeiture of any bond, and a prosecution for contempt of court and could result in imprisonment, a fine, or both.

While on release, if you commit a federal felony offense the punishment is an additional prison term of not more than ten years and for a federal misdemeanor offense the punishment is an additional prison term of not more than one year. This sentence will be consecutive (*i.e.*, in addition to) to any other sentence you receive.

It is a crime punishable by up to ten years in prison, and a \$250,000 fine, or both, to: obstruct a criminal investigation; tamper with a witness, victim, or informant; retaliate or attempt to retaliate against a witness, victim, or informant; or intimidate or attempt to intimidate a witness, victim, juror, informant, or officer of the court. The penalties for tampering, retaliation, or intimidation are significantly more serious if they involve a killing or attempted killing.

If, after release, you knowingly fail to appear as the conditions of release require, or to surrender to serve a sentence, you may be prosecuted for failing to appear or surrender and additional punishment may be imposed. If you are convicted of:

- (1) an offense punishable by death, life imprisonment, or imprisonment for a term of fifteen years or more – you will be fined not more than \$250,000 or imprisoned for not more than 10 years, or both;
- (2) an offense punishable by imprisonment for a term of five years or more, but less than fifteen years – you will be fined not more than \$250,000 or imprisoned for not more than five years, or both;
- (3) any other felony – you will be fined not more than \$250,000 or imprisoned not more than two years, or both;
- (4) a misdemeanor – you will be fined not more than \$100,000 or imprisoned not more than one year, or both.

A term of imprisonment imposed for failure to appear or surrender will be consecutive to any other sentence you receive. In addition, a failure to appear or surrender may result in the forfeiture of any bond posted.